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1. [redacted] TENG Hua (鄧華) ordered three regiments to penetrate Indochina in the Hanoi area, to cooperate with the 304 Division of the "Viet Minh Communist Peoples Force" in attacking Hoa Binh, which troops of the Democratic Republic of Vietnam (DRV) had isolated. Two of the regiments thus ordered belonged to units under the command of CHUANG T'ien (莊田), and the third was the 24 Artillery Regiment, under LIU Ch'eng-yu (劉澄宇).<sup>1</sup> 25X1
2. [redacted] one regiment of the 127 Division, 43 Army, 15 Army Group, arrived at Nanning from the north on the Laipin-Chennankuan railroad. Immediately after arrival the troops were transferred to Ch'inhkien (108-37, 21-58) for garrison duty along the Ch'inhkien-Yungming highway. The regiment was equipped with Soviet-made submachine guns, four large truck-drawn guns, and eight automatic anti-tank guns (sic). 25X1   
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3. [redacted] supplies shipped from the north through Nanning to P'inghsiang (106-44, 22-06) on the Laipin-Chennankuan railroad included 1,200 tons of grain, 150 Soviet trucks, grenades, and artillery and rifle ammunition. Upon arrival at P'inghsiang the trucks were camouflaged. 25X1
4. [redacted] 500 men commanded by TAI Ting-chiang (戴定江) went to the Talo (100-03, 21-38) area as reinforcements.<sup>2</sup> China 25X1
5. [redacted] one battalion of the 189 Regiment, 63 Public Security Division, arrived at Menglung (101-23, 21-38).<sup>3</sup> 25X1

25 YEAR RE-REVIEW

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1. Comment. [redacted] the 53 Army, 21 Army Group, 25X1  
4 Field Army was ordered to penetrate Indochina to assist against Hoa  
Binh. [redacted] 250 troops lost in the 53 Army when [redacted] 25X1  
planes bombed Langson [redacted] Later information [redacted] 25X1  
[redacted] stated that 1,300 tons of Aid to DRV supplies were destroyed.
2. Comment. [redacted] 3,000 troops commanded [redacted] 25X1  
Ting-ch'iu (戴定求) were stationed at Ch'eli (100-50, 21-50) on  
[redacted]
3. Comment. The same division was reported [redacted] as being 25X1  
disposed, [redacted] as follows: the 187 Regiment at Hsien  
(103-57, 22-32); the 188 Regiment at Maoshan (00-00, 25-07); the 189  
Regiment commanded by LI K'o-yuan at Ch'eli (100-50, 21-50).

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